MISCELLANEOUS.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DISTRICT FUND BOARD OF THE MYSORE CIRCLE AT A MEETING HELD AT MYSORE ON THE 18TH JANUARY 1902.

PRESENT.

H. Ramanujaiengar, Esq., President.

Ex-Officio Members.

1. A. S. Nagavkar, Esq., Executive Engr.
2. M. Kantaraj Urs, Esq., B.A., Special Sub-Division Officer.
3. C. B. Seshagiri Rao, Esq., Assistant Commissioner.
4. C. Venkata Rao, Esq., B.A., Assistant Commissioner.
5. Mr. B. Kesarasingh, Acting Amildar, Mysore Taluk.
6. Mr. Gulam Mohadin Khan, Amildar, Hunsur Taluk.
7. Mr. Mahomed Obeidulla, Amildar, Heggaddevankote Taluk.
8. Mr. N. Gopalakrishna Iyengar, B.A., B.L., Amildar, Gundlupet Taluk.
9. Mr. T. N. Sundararajiengar, Amildar, Chamrajnagar Taluk.
10. Mr. C. D. Ramaswamiah, Amildar, Nanjangud Taluk.
11. Mr. M. G. Krishnaswami Rao, Amildar, T. Narsipur Taluk.

ABSENT.

Non-Official Members.

1. Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit, Land-holder.
2. Mr. Sriranga Char, Jodidar.
3. Mr. Venkatasubbiah, Land-holder and Pleader.

Ex-Officio Members.

1. The Civil Surgeon, Mysore District.
2. Mr. C. V. Krishnaswami Rao, Amildar, Yedatore Taluk.

Non-Official Members.

1. Mr. Sivoji Rao, Land-holder.
2. Mr. Fathe Khan, Land-holder.

I. Read Government Order No. 8412-20—L. F. 29-1900 of the 3rd December 1901, sanctioning a grant of Rs. 2,529 from Local Funds General for completing certain incomplete well-works.

Recorded with the observation that additional funds be asked for out of the lapsed grant as per list of new and incomplete works discussed and revised at this meeting.

II. Read Mysore Division Executive Engineer's No. 237 of the 4th December 1901, stating that the construction of a bridge over the Suvarnavati river at Diddepur will be very useful to the public.

Resolution.—The proposed bridge is necessary, but the work cannot be undertaken without a grant from Local Funds General. To enable the Board to approach the Government with an application for the necessary funds, the Executive Engineer will be requested to be good enough to select a site for the construction of a bridge and state its estimated cost.

III. Read correspondence ending with Mysore Division Executive Engineer's No. 10 of the 7th January 1902, stating that the question of funds for constructing bridges on Narsipur-Chamrajnagar and Kowlande-Kollegal roads may be settled.

Resolved that due provision be made in the next year's budget for the proposed works.

IV. Read correspondence ending with Chamrajnagar Taluk Amildar's report No. 146 of the 7th December 1901, regarding the plying of a raft on the Suvarnavati river during the freshet.

Resolved that the establishment of ferries both at Alur and Diddepur be approved and the sanction of Government be applied for.

V. Read letter, dated 3rd January 1902, from Mr. A. Govindacharlu, retired Executive Engineer, requesting that the resolution of the Board passed at its meeting held on the 30th November 1901, refusing to give him any pecuniary help for improving the burning grounds at Mysore may be reconsidered.

The Board regret that they can see no grounds to reconsider their former decision.

VI. Read Nanjangud Taluk Amildar's report No. 136 of the 7th January 1902, requesting that sanction may be accorded for the entertainment of a sweeper on Rs. 5 per month for the musafirkhana at Nanjangud.

Resolved that the sanction of Government be applied for for the entertainment of one on Rs. 5 per month.

VII. The following District Fund Budget estimates for 1902-1903 were then placed before the Board :—

(1) Consolidated statement of receipts and expenditure.
(2) Statement showing the assets upon which 'Local Cess' has been calculated.
(3) Statement of 'Original Works' to be executed by the Public Works Department.
(4) Statement of 'Repairs' to be done by the Public Works Department.
(5) Statement of 'Original Works' and 'Repairs' to be executed by the Revenue Department.
(6) Statement of Civil Charges.

VIII. RECEIPTS.—The increase of Rs. 3,242 under 'seventy-six per cent of the local cess on Land Revenue' over the sanctioned estimate for the current year is due to the corresponding increase in the income under 'Land Revenue' during the year 1900-1901, as detailed in enclosure A. The Amildar of the Nanjangud Taluk has promised that a voluntary contribution of Rs. 1,000 can be collected in his taluk for repairing cart-tracks. Hence the increase of Rs. 1,000 shown under 'private contribution.' The income under the remaining items has been, as usual, based upon the average income for the past three years. The income under all heads is estimated at Rs. 83,090 against Rs. 80,944 the sanctioned estimate for 1901-1902, and Rs. 73,991 the actuals for 1900-1901.

IX. OPENING BALANCE.—The opening balance for 1902-1903 has been adopted as per supplemental budget for 1901-1902, submitted to Government with this office letter No. 521, dated 30th December 1901. Thus the total amount at the disposal of the Board during the year 1902-1903 would be Rs. 1,04,415.

X. EXPENDITURE.—*A Public Works to be executed by the Public Works Department.*—The Executive Engineer proposed grants under different heads as follows :—

Serial No.	Items.	Proposed for 1902-1903.	Sanctioned for 1901-1902.
		Rs.	Rs.
I	Original works	8,000	6,100
II	Repairs	28,000	25,645
III	Establishment	6,300	5,555
IV	Tools and plant	200	...
	Total ...	42,500	37,300

But considering that only Rs. 55,921 are available for expenditure under 'A and B. Public Works' (after deducting the closing balance and the amount for Civil charges from the amount available for 1902-1903), the Board passed the following provisions :—

		Rs.
I.	Original works	5,500
II.	Repairs	27,145
III.	Establishment	6,712
IV.	Tools and plant	...
	Total ...	39,357

XI. *B. Public Works to be executed by the Revenue Department.*—The applications for funds, received from the Amildars, for works to be carried out in their taluks were then read. The total grant required by the Amildars amounted to Rs. 48,868. But owing to paucity of funds, the Board resolved to allot the following amounts only :—

		Rs.
I and II	Original works and repairs	16,000
III	Establishment	2,000
IV	Tools and plant	..
	Total ...	18,000

XII. *Civil Charges.*—The amount passed by the Board under this head of expenditure is Rs. 26,972 against Rs. 23,662 the sanctioned expenditure for the current year. The increase of Rs. 470 under 'Hospitals and Dispensaries' is due to the proposed purchase of 'bedding and clothing' to the Local Fund Dispensaries, as per Senior Surgeon's docket No. 1086-94, dated 7th January 1902. The increase of Rs. 208 under 'travellers' bungalows and musafirkhanas' is due to the intended purchase of cooking utensils for 3rd class travellers' bungalows, already sanctioned by Government. The increase of Rs. 2,632 under 'Contribution' is due to the pay-

ment of one-third share of the estimated cost of constructing in-patient wards at T. Narsipur and Yedatore, as per Comptroller's docket No. 220 of the 26th July 1901. The other items call for no special remarks.

XIII. The budget estimates of receipts and expenditure for the year 1902-03 as passed by the Board are given in detail in the accompanying appendices, of which the following is an abstract:—

	Rs.
Opening balance	21,325
Estimated receipts for 1902-03	83,090
Total ...	1,04,415

EXPENDITURE.

	Rs.
I. By Public Works Department	39,357
II. By Revenue Department	18,000
III. Civil Charges	26,972
Total ...	84,329
Closing balance ...	20,006

XIV. The closing balance is now shown at a little less than one-fourth of the receipts but when the actual opening balance is communicated from the Comptroller's office, necessary modifications will be made.

XV. Read Report No. 136 of the 7th January 1902, from the Amildar of the Nanjangud Taluk proposing that the pay of Work Inspectors may be raised.

Resolved that as the question is already before Government, final orders be awaited.

H. RAMANUJAIENGAR, *President.*

Notice, dated 7th April 1902.

Notice is hereby given to the public that an application has been received from the Superintendent of the Attikuppa Gold Mining Syndicate, asking for a license for the possession of specified explosives for mining work in the Krishnarajpete Taluk. The applicant proposes to store the explosives on the Company's land specified in the schedule hereto annexed. All persons who may have objections to the establishment of the proposed magazine on the site in question, are required to deliver to the undersigned a written statement of such objections on or before the 25th April 1902:—

SCHEDULE.

Name of District.	Name of Taluk.	Names of villages to which the lands of the Mining Company are attached.	Remarks.
Mysore.	Krishnarajpete.	(1) Kalgonahalli. (2) Bellibettad kaval. (3) Katrigatta. (4) Hosaholalu. (5) Kommenhalli.	The magazine is proposed to be constructed within the boundaries of the Company's lands and is stated to be at least ¼ of a mile from any cultivation and ½ a mile from any village or habitation. At the back of the magazine, *i. e.*, 170 feet to the west of it, there is a ridge 50 to 70 feet in height.

H. RAMANUJAIYENGAR, *District Magistrate.*